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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to examination, please amend the application as follows:

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In the specification:

Insert the following paragraph at the beginning of page 1:

This application is a continuation (and claims the benefit of priority under 35 USC 120)

of U.S. application serial no. 09/379,069, filed August 23, 1999. The disclosure of the prior application is considered part of (and is incorporated by reference in) the disclosure of this

application.-

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In the claims:

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A heat dissipating device, comprising

a plurality of heat dissipating plates having stack plate portions disposed in close

contact with one another to form a stack part, each of said stack plate portions including a bottom

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